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A BILL FOR

1 An Act providing for the placement of a right-to-work notice on
2 certain state property and publications.

3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

1 Section 1. Section 8A.362, subsection 8, Code 2011, is
2 amended to read as follows:

3 8. The director shall require that a sign be placed on
4 each state-owned motor vehicle in a conspicuous place which
5 indicates its ownership by the state. The sign shall also
6 include the phrase, "Iowa is a Right-to-Work State". This
7 ~~requirement~~ subsection shall not apply to motor vehicles
8 requested to be exempt by the director or by the commissioner
9 of public safety. All state-owned motor vehicles shall display
10 registration plates bearing the word "official" except motor
11 vehicles requested to be furnished with ordinary plates by the
12 director or by the commissioner of public safety pursuant to
13 section 321.19. The director shall keep an accurate record of
14 the registration plates used on all state-owned motor vehicles.

15 Sec. 2. Section 15.108, Code 2011, is amended by adding the
16 following new subsection:

17 NEW SUBSECTION. 12. *Labor relations.* To provide
18 information relating to the rights of workers and employers in
19 this state. To carry out this responsibility, the department
20 shall include the phrase, "Iowa is a Right-to-Work State"
21 in bold letters on all business recruitment, tourism, and
22 promotional literature.

23 Sec. 3. Section 306D.4, Code 2011, is amended to read as
24 follows:

25 **306D.4 Scenic highway advertising.**

26 The state department of transportation shall have the
27 authority to adopt rules to control the erection of new
28 advertising devices on a highway designated as a scenic highway
29 or scenic byway in order to comply with federal requirements
30 concerning the implementation of a scenic byways program. The
31 rules shall provide for the placement of the following phrase,
32 "Iowa is a Right-to-Work State" on each new advertising device
33 on a scenic highway.

34 Sec. 4. Section 307.14, unnumbered paragraph 1, Code 2011,
35 is amended to read as follows:

1 The department shall publish a map of the state of Iowa.
2 The map shall include the following phrase, "Iowa is a
3 Right-to-Work State" below the picture of the governor of Iowa
4 on the map. At the request of a citizen of a particular city or
5 town, the department shall add the city or town to the existing
6 map of Iowa and identify the main road leading into the city
7 or town if the city or town meets two or more of the following
8 criteria:

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EXPLANATION

10 This bill relates to the promotion of Iowa as a right-to-work
11 state. The bill requires the placement of the phrase,
12 "Iowa is a Right-to-Work State" in the following places:
13 (1) on each state-owned vehicle; (2) on the department of
14 economic development's business recruitment, tourism, and
15 promotional literature; (3) on each new sign the department
16 of transportation erects on scenic highways; and (4) on each
17 roadmap published by the department of transportation.